

Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Thursday 20 Jan 2022 until 23:59 on Friday 21 Jan 2022

Forecast Issued on Wednesday 19 Jan 2022 at 15:14

Confidence: High for high pressure to dominate through the period bringing largely dry but cloudy conditions. Some uncertainty in the details of cloud cover, however.

Headline for Thursday 20 Jan 2022: Dry and bright but feeling cold on the tops.

Mountain weather hazards on Thursday 20 Jan 2022

Blizzards

No Likelihood

Gales

No Likelihood

Thunderstorms

No Likelihood

Heavy Snow

No Likelihood

Severe chill effect

No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain

No Likelihood

Storm force winds

No Likelihood

Poor visibility

No Likelihood

Strong sunlight

No Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m							
Time							
00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
							
Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy	Cloudy	Sunny intervals	Sunny intervals	Cloudy	Cloudy
Precipitation probability							
20%	10%	10%	00%	00%	00%	00%	10%

Forecast for Thursday 20 Jan 2022

Weather: Dry but largely cloudy conditions through the day but some bright or sunny spells may develop by afternoon. A chilly day but winds will be light away from summits. Cloud will thicken through evening.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m: 90%.

Visibility: Any cloud at or below summit level will likely be confined to the morning and even then be patchy in nature. Summits more reliably clear through afternoon with very good visibility.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph)					Wind Direction (blowing from)			
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	28/39 NW	25/36 N	21/30 N	18/26 NW	12/17 NW	13/18 NW	16/24 NW	15/22 NW	13/19 NW
300	13/25 NW	11/22 NW	7/17 N	6/14 NW	6/10 NW	6/11 NW	7/15 NW	7/13 NW	7/13 NW
Valley	10/24 NW	8/20 NW	6/16 N	4/13 NW	5/10 NW	5/10 NW	6/13 NW	5/11 NW	6/11 NW

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)								
	00:00	03:00	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
600	1/-7	0/-7	0/-7	0/-6	1/-4	2/-3	1/-4	1/-4	1/-4
300	3/-2	2/-2	2/-1	2/-1	4/2	4/2	3/-0	3/0	3/-0
Valley	4/-0	3/0	3/0	2/0	5/3	6/4	4/1	3/1	4/2
<< Freezing Level*	700m	600m	500m	500m	600m	700m	700m	700m	800m

*Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.

Meteorologist's View

Good visibility expected away from summits through morning, but note stronger winds on summits early and late.

Forecast for Friday 21 Jan 2022

Weather: A dry but dull and largely overcast day. There is some scope for some bright or sunny spells but these likely short lived.

Maximum wind: West or southwest 10-20mph.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m: 80%

Visibility: Some patchy summit cloud is possible through the day but this is unlikely to be persistent. Very good visibility away from this.

Temperature: **Valleys:** Plus 4 to 6 Celsius throughout.
At 700m: Around plus 1 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above summits.